



## **Community Interfaith Liaison Office**

### **Department of Systems Management for Human Services**

**ISSUE #10 – Week of JUNE 16, 2003**

## **Community Interfaith Liaison Office (CIL) Biweekly Update:**

**June 16, 2003**

An update from the Fairfax County Community Interfaith Liaison Office (CIL), serving Fairfax County faith communities and faith- and community-based organizations by sharing information, resources, training, linkages, partnership and collaboration opportunities, and coordinating human services-oriented meetings, workshops, and events for the Fairfax County faith community. The Community Interfaith Liaison Office is part of the Fairfax County Department of Systems Management for Human Services, located at 12011 Government Center Parkway, Suite 220, Fairfax, Virginia 22035. For information, please telephone (703) 324-3453 or e-mail [hprym1@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:hprym1@fairfaxcounty.gov).

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## **Accommodations:**

Fairfax County is committed to a policy of nondiscrimination in all County programs, services, and activities. Special accommodations/alternative information formats for Faith Communities in Action (FCIA) meetings and Community Interfaith Liaison Office meetings, events, and workshops will be provided upon request. Please call Holly Prymak at (703) 324-3453 or TTY (703) 803-7914 to request special accommodations or if you have any questions or concerns. Please allow seven working days in advance of the event in order to make the necessary arrangements.

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## Contact Us:

For more information on the Community Interfaith Liaison Office, please visit our web-site at:

[www.fairfaxcounty.gov/service/dsm/cil/default.htm](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/service/dsm/cil/default.htm)

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## Feature Article:

### **BATTERED IMMIGRANT WOMEN**

My Sister's Place, a shelter for battered women and their children, reports "the abuse a woman suffers from the one who professes to love her can be verbal abuse that gradually destroys her feeling of self-worth; or the abuse can be severe beatings. For too many women, the abuse turns to torture or even death."

According to My Sister's Place, battered immigrant women must further face unique legal, social and economic problems as outlined below:

- "Domestic violence is thought to be more prevalent among immigrant women than among U.S. citizens."<sup>1</sup>
- "Immigrant women may suffer higher rates of battering than U.S. citizens because they come from cultures which accept domestic violence, or because they have less access to legal and social services than U.S. citizens. In addition, immigrant batterers and victims may believe that the penalties and protections of the U.S. legal system do not apply to them."<sup>2</sup>
- "A battered woman who is not a legal resident, or whose immigration status depends on her partner, is isolated by cultural dynamics which may prevent her from leaving her husband or seeking assistance from the legal system. These factors contribute to the higher incidence of abuse among immigrant women."<sup>2</sup>
- "Some obstacles faced by battered immigrant women include a distrust of the legal system arising from their experiences with the system in their native countries; cultural and language barriers; and fear of deportation."<sup>2</sup>
- "A battered immigrant woman may not understand that she can personally tell her story in court, or that a judge will believe her. Based on her experience in her native country, she may believe that only those who are wealthy or have ties to the government will prevail in court. Batterers often manipulate these beliefs by convincing the victim he will prevail in court because he is a male, a citizen or that he has more money."<sup>2</sup>
- "Although a victim may be in the country legally by virtue of her marriage to the batterer, their status may be conditional; in this situation it is common for a batterer to exert his control over his wife's immigration status in order to force her to remain in the relationship."<sup>3</sup>
- "Undocumented women may be reported to Immigration and Naturalization Services by law enforcement or social services personnel from who they may seek assistance."<sup>3</sup>
- "A battered immigrant woman is often trapped in an abusive relationship by economics. She may have legal or practical impediments to obtaining employment or public assistance."<sup>3</sup>

- "Battered immigrant women who attempt to flee may have no access to bilingual shelters, financial assistance or food. It is unlikely that she will have the assistance of a certified interpreter in court, when reporting complaints to police or a 911 operator, or even in acquiring information about her rights and the legal system."<sup>2</sup>

My Sister's Place is shelter for battered women and their children providing programs, education and advocacy for battered women and their children. For more information call (202) 529-5984. For their 24-hour Crisis Hotline call (202) 529-5991.

On August 15<sup>th</sup>, **The Fairfax County Human Services Multicultural Domestic Violence Project** will host [MULTICULTURAL SENSITIVITY TRAINING ON FAMILY VIOLENCE](#), a workshop on addressing culture perspectives on domestic violence in the Hispanic, Korean, Muslim and Vietnamese communities. Faith and community members, local service providers, and community-based organizations are invited to attend this education and advocacy initiative. The workshop will be from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the First Virginia Bank building, located at 6400 Arlington Boulevard, Falls Church, Virginia. The deadline for reservations is **August 1<sup>st</sup>** 2003. To register, please contact Jessica Van Fossen at (703) 671-5666, extension 122, or Kim Viet Ngo at (703) 538-2190.

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<sup>1</sup>Anderson, A License to Abuse: The Impact of Conditional Status on Female Immigrants, 102 Yale L.J. 1401 (April 1993).

<sup>2</sup>Orloff et.al, With No Place to Turn: Improving Advocacy for Battered Immigrant Women, Family Law Quarterly, vol. 29, no. 2 313 Summer 2003.

<sup>3</sup>Jang, Caught in a Web: Immigrant Women and Domestic Violence, National Clearinghouse (Special Issue 1994), p. 397 - 403.

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## **Faith Communities in Action (FCIA):**

*Faith Communities in Action (FCIA) - An interfaith coalition of churches, mosques, synagogues, temples, faith- and community-based organizations, and government agencies gathering to learn and share information to better address human services needs in Fairfax County, Virginia.*

### **Next Meeting - Wednesday, July 9, 2003**

The next Faith Communities in Action meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 9, 2003, from 2:00p.m. – 4:00p.m., in Conference Rooms 4 & 5 of the Fairfax County Government Center, located at 12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia.

As always, all faith communities are invited to attend and encouraged to bring announcements about their upcoming community meetings, speaker events, workshops, and human services project announcements. Questions? Call Sandra Chisholm at (703) 324-5185 or e-mail at [schish@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:schish@fairfaxcounty.gov).

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## Upcoming Events/Workshops/Conferences:

### ▪ **Thursday, June 19, 2003**

The Fairfax County Department of Systems Management for Human Services presents...

**Free Hands-On Training**  
***"Learn How to Use the Human Services Resource Guide"***  
**Thursday, June 19, 2003**  
Session is from 10:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.  
6245 Leesburg Pike, Suite 301  
Falls Church, Virginia 22044

The Human Services Resource Guide is a web-based directory of human services available to Fairfax County residents. This training will provide an overview of the Guide, information on how to use the Guide, and ideas on how to make the Guide work for you.

Additional Training Dates are being offered in 2003 and will be held at the Falls Church office in Conference Room 507. Future Additional Training Dates will include:

- July 15, 2003, 10:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.
- August 13, 2003, 1:00p.m. - 3:00p.m.
- September 18, 2003, 10:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.
- October 14, 2003, 1:00p.m. - 3:00p.m.
- November 12, 2003, 10:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.
- December 11, 2003, 1:00p.m. - 3:00p.m.

To register, please call Resource Information Management Services (RIMS) staff, Norma Bartholomew - (703) 533-5787 or Keisha Dotson - (703) 533-5786, or e-mail [wwwrim@fairfaxcounty.gov/rim](mailto:wwwrim@fairfaxcounty.gov/rim).

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### ▪ **Thursday, June 19, 2003**

WETA TV26 announces...

**Documentary Preview**  
***"This Far by Faith: African-American Spiritual Journeys"***  
**Thursday, June 19, 2003**  
7:00p.m.  
Ebenezer African Episcopal Methodist (AME) Church  
7707 Allentown Road  
Fort Washington, MD

This month on WETA TV26 the documentary ***"This Far By Faith: African-American Spiritual Journeys"*** airs Tuesday, June 24 -Thursday, June 26, 2003 at 9 p.m. each evening. The six-hour documentary explores the African-American religious experience through three centuries of the community's history in the United States - from the arrival of African slaves through the Civil War, Reconstruction, the Jim Crow era, the Great Depression, the civil rights era, and beyond. The film charts

the development of independent black Christian churches and attempts by religious authorities to unify the black community and nurture its sense of self-respect in the political arena. Viewers will witness women and men engaged in struggles on behalf of, and emerging out of, their faith.

You are invited to a preview of the documentary on Thursday, June 19, at 7 p.m. at Ebenezer AME Church, 7707 Allentown Road, Fort Washington, Maryland. The event will also include a panel discussion with the series producers, scholars, and theologians, and a book signing by author and journalist Juan Williams. The panel discussion and screening are free and open to the public. To make a reservation, please call (202) 610-3371 or, for more information, please call Ferne Barrow at (703) 998-2420.

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▪ **Thursday, June 19, 2003**

Homeless Oversight Committee (HOC) meeting...

**Meeting**  
***"Homeless Oversight Committee (HOC)"***  
**Thursday, June 19, 2003**  
**6:00p.m.**  
**Fairfax County Government Center**  
**Conference Room 10**  
**12000 Government Center Parkway**  
**Fairfax, Virginia 22035**

For more information, please call Bill Macmillan at (703) 324-4657 or Michelle Gregory at (703) 324-7136.

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▪ **Thursday, June 19, 2003**

Fairfax Alliance for Human Services meeting...

**Annual Meeting**  
***"Fairfax Alliance for Human Services"***  
**Thursday, June 19, 2003**  
**7:30p.m.**  
**Fairfax County Government Center**  
**12000 Government Center Parkway**  
**Fairfax, Virginia 22035**

For more information, please call Jerry Kieffer at (703) 591-8328.

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▪ **Tuesday, June 24, 2003**

Laurel Hill Master Planning Process Public meeting...

**Public Meeting**  
***"Laurel Hill Master Planning Process"***

**Tuesday, June 24, 2003**  
7:00p.m.  
**Fairfax County Government Center**  
**Conference Rooms 9 and 10**  
12000 Government Center Parkway  
Fairfax, Virginia 22035

Topic: Proposal presentations by organizations with ideas for the adaptive reuse areas, focusing on the Central/Maximum Facility off Silverbrook Road. For more information, please call Mary Ashton at (703) 324-3408 or e-mail [mashto@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:mashto@fairfaxcounty.gov).

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▪ **Tuesday, June 24, 2003**

The University of Virginia presents...

**Next Installment of the**  
**Leading in Crisis Series**  
**"Managing the Total Structural Assets of an Organization"**  
**Tuesday, June 24, 2003**  
6:30p.m. - 9:30p.m.  
**Northern Virginia Center**  
7054 Haycock Road  
Falls Church, Virginia  
**Cost: \$65 per person**

This seminar will help individuals to learn principles for promoting systems thinking. Participants will learn how to pay attention to and develop clear plans, sound alignment strategies, and effective processes necessary to empower people's competencies.

For more information, please contact Russ Lentner at (703) 536-1127 or [rlentner@virginia.edu](mailto:rlentner@virginia.edu). For a listing of upcoming Leading in Crisis Seminars, visit: [www.scps.virginia.edu/events/nvevents/list.php](http://www.scps.virginia.edu/events/nvevents/list.php).

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▪ **Wednesday, June 25, and Monday, June 30, 2003**

Community Meetings on the Reston Teen Center...

**Forum for Discussion**  
**"Community Meetings on the**  
**Reston Teen Center"**

**Wednesday, June 25, 2003**  
7:30p.m. - 9:00p.m.  
Reston Teen Center  
Adjacent to the Reston YMCA  
12196 Sunset Hills Road  
Reston, Virginia 22190

**Monday, June 30, 2003**  
2:00p.m. - 3:30p.m.  
North County Government Center

12000 Bowman Towne Drive  
Reston, Virginia 20190

All are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served. Come to either or both of the forums and discuss current after-school, evening, and weekend activities for teens; ideas for future programming; partnering for effective programming; and efficient use of existing resources.

For more information, please call (703) 324-5704.

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▪ **Thursday, July 10, 2003**

The Springfield & Franconia Exchange presents...

**Human Services Community Lunch Series**  
**"Fairfax County Office for Children"**  
**Thursday, July 10, 2003**  
Lunch: 11:30a.m. - Noon  
Presentation: 12:00p.m. - 1:30p.m.  
**First Baptist Church of Springfield**  
Fellowship Hall  
7300 Gary Street  
Springfield, Virginia 22150

Staff from the Fairfax County Office for Children will share information about:

- Finding child care
- Paying for child care
- Being a family child care provider

A recent initiative supported through a Federal Early Learning Opportunity Act Grant has created new resources for child care providers through the Institute for Early Learning and Emerging Literacy. Strategies for sharing outreach materials and partnering efforts will also be discussed.

For more information, please call Irmina Howe at (703) 324-7130 or Paulette Whiteside at (703) 324-5285. No need to RSVP.

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▪ **Sunday, July 20 - Tuesday, July 22, 2003**

Jewish Women International (JWI) presents...

**The First International Conference on Domestic Abuse in the Jewish Community**  
**"Pursuing Truth, Justice, and Righteousness - A Call to Action"**  
**Sunday, July 20 - Tuesday, July 22, 2003**  
**Hyatt Regency Hotel**  
Baltimore, Maryland

Please call JWI directly at 1-800-343-2823 or visit [www.jewishwomen.org/CallToAction](http://www.jewishwomen.org/CallToAction) if you would like more information or printed copies of the conference brochure.

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▪ **Saturday, July 26, and Saturday, August 16, 2003**

Volunteers needed...

***"Free School Physicals to Uninsured Children"***

Faith communities and nonprofit organizations in Northern Virginia are partnering with Inova and the Fairfax County Health Department to provide free school physicals to uninsured children in our community. On Saturday, July 26, and Saturday, August 16, from 8:00a.m. - 12:00p.m., more than 400 children are expected to receive free physicals.

Physicians, nurse practitioners, nurses, interpreters, and other volunteers are needed to help. Each child will get a free school physical, school immunizations, and screenings. Each child will also be provided with information and an application to enroll in Virginia's state-funded insurance programs. When each child leaves, he or she will be given a bag of school supplies. Churches are being asked to assist by collecting school supplies, volunteering at the event, and helping to plan and/or coordinate the event.

***St. Anthony's Catholic Church School Physicals Day***

*will be held*

***Saturday, July 26, 2003***

*8:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.*

For more information or to volunteer, please contact Georgine Redmond at (703) 573-5903 or e-mail [gredmond@gmu.edu](mailto:gredmond@gmu.edu).

***The Greater Springfield Communities of Faith School Physicals Day***

*will be held*

***Saturday, August 16, 2003***

*8:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.*

For more information or to volunteer, please contact Cyndi Barr at (703) 644-5627 or e-mail [cdbarr@bww.com](mailto:cdbarr@bww.com).

***The Mt. Vernon Community Coalition's School Physicals Day***

*will be held*

***August 16, 2003***

*8:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.*

For more information or to volunteer, please contact Bonnie Lilley at (703) 780-4844 or e-mail [clilley406@aol.com](mailto:clilley406@aol.com).

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▪ **Friday, August 15, 2003**

Mark your calendar! The Fairfax County Human Services Multicultural Domestic Violence Project



presents...

**Workshop**  
***"Multicultural Sensitivity Training on Family Violence"***  
**Friday, August 15, 2003**  
*All-Day Training*  
*Location to be announced.*

This workshop will address cultural perspectives on domestic violence in the Hispanic, Korean, Muslim, and Vietnamese communities. All local service providers, community-based organizations, and faith and community members are invited to attend.

Please reserve your space by the reservation deadline, August 1, 2003. For more information, please call Jessica Van Fossen at (703) 671-5666, ext. 122 or Kim Viet Ngo at (703) 538-2190.

For a copy of the Training Flyer, please refer to the link shown under this listing in the CIL Biweekly Update E-Newsletter, which may be accessed on the web at

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▪ **Wednesday, Nov. 12, and Thursday, Nov. 13, 2003**

The Roundtable on Religion and Social Welfare Policy, Nelson A. Rockefeller Institute of Government, presents...

**Fall 2003 Research Conference**  
***"The Public Benefit of Private Faith:  
Religious Organizations and the Delivery of Social Services"***  
**Wednesday, Nov. 12, and Thursday, Nov. 13, 2003**  
*Two-day Conference*  
**Wyndham Washington Hotel**  
1400 M Street NW  
Washington, DC

Conference registration is free! For more information, please contact Michael Cocca at (518) 443-5014 or via e-mail at [coccam@rockinst.org](mailto:coccam@rockinst.org).

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## **News and Announcements:**

### **Scholarship Opportunity for High School Students**

This summer, the Interfaith Conference of Metropolitan Washington will award two Rev. Dr. Clark Lobenstine Scholarships in the amount of \$500 each to the two high school students who have done the most over the course of the past year to further the cause of interfaith understanding. Students interested in being considered for one of these two prizes should contact Mike Goggin at (202) 234-6300 or [mikeg@ifcmw.org](mailto:mikeg@ifcmw.org) for more information on scholarship application requirements.

## Individual Sessions Available

The Center for Housing Counseling Training is now offering individual sessions. Each session, except for the first session (introduction) and the last session (final exam), is \$20.00. For more information, please contact Joann Ochoa via e-mail at [joann@christianrelief.org](mailto:joann@christianrelief.org).

## West Nile Virus/Mosquito Control Outreach Program

**Fight the Bite**  
Say **NO** to Mosquitoes  
**ELIMINATE STANDING WATER**

It's that time of year again! "Fight the bite" and help say NO to mosquitoes. The Fairfax County Department of Health, Division of Environmental Health, needs your help in getting information about West Nile Virus and mosquito control measures into the hands and heads of County residents. Your faith community could make a big difference by making printed material available to your membership or printing a few words about West Nile Virus in your bulletin or newsletter. If you would like to be a partner in this effort, please call Carl Sivertsen at (703) 246-2338.

## Volunteers Needed for Meals on Wheels Program

Meals on Wheels needs volunteers for three Volunteer Coordinator positions in the County that need to be filled: Fairfax City, Franconia, and Tysons Towers. If you would like more information, please call (703) 324-5846 or (703) 324-5438.

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## Resource and Grant Opportunities:

### Department of Labor, OSHA Grant Opportunity

The U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA), announced the opportunity to apply for Susan Harwood Training Program grants for 2003. The grant application due date is July 3, 2003. For more information, please access the following link:

[www.osha.gov/fso/ote/training/sharwood/sharwood.html#request](http://www.osha.gov/fso/ote/training/sharwood/sharwood.html#request).

### Second Reissue of RFP#: COM-03-053B

The Virginia Department of Social Services (DSS) announces a second reissue of a Request for Proposals (RFP) for a technology initiative to expand public access to on-line employment information resources.

DSS is seeking 19 additional sites in which to place a computer system to strengthen community and faith-based organizations' involvement with the One-Stop Delivery System.

If you have any questions regarding this opportunity, please call (804) 692-1065. For a copy of this RFP, please refer to the link shown under this listing in the CIL Biweekly Update E-Newsletter, which may be accessed on the web at

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## **Department of Labor Grant Opportunities**

The U.S. Department of Labor's Office of Disability and Employment Policy (ODEP) announces two grant opportunities.

ODEP has announced the availability of \$2.5 million to award up to six competitive "Working for Freedom, Opportunity, and Real Choice Through Community Employment (WorkFORCE) Initiative" grants. These grants - ranging from approximately \$400,000 to \$625,000 - are designed to continue support for increasing and improving employment opportunities for individuals with disabilities.

ODEP has also announced the availability of \$500,000 to award up to 10 competitive grants in the amount of \$50,000 to \$100,000 each to provide home modifications as a means of further expanding the community integration of individuals with disabilities, particularly those seeking employment. Grants will be awarded for a 12-month period of performance.

Faith- and community-based organizations are eligible to apply for both grant opportunities. The closing date for receipt of applications is July 14, 2003. For more information, please visit the Department of Labor, Center for Faith-Based and Community Initiatives, web page at [www.dol.gov/cfbci/funding.htm](http://www.dol.gov/cfbci/funding.htm).

## **Department of Health and Human Services Grant Opportunity**

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Children, Youth, and Families (ACYF), Family and Youth Services Bureau (FYSB), announces the availability of financial assistance and requests applications for Mentoring Children of Prisoners grants. Grant funds would support the establishment and operation of programs using a network of public and private entities to provide mentoring services for children of incarcerated parents.

This program announcement and its application forms are also available by calling or writing to the ACYF Operations Center at the address below: Educational Services, Inc., ACYF Operations Center, Attention: Sylvia Johnson, 1150 Connecticut Avenue NW, Ste. 1100, Washington, DC 20036. Telephone: 1-800-351-2293. E-mail: [FYSB@esilsg.org](mailto:FYSB@esilsg.org).

To download the announcement, visit the FYSB web site at <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/fysb>.

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## **Volunteer and Employment Opportunities:**

### **New Hope Housing Openings**

New Hope Housing has openings for a Director of Resident Services, a Case Manager, and an Assistant Director of Post Shelter Housing. For more information, please call (703) 799-2293. For a copy of the Position Openings notice, please refer to the link shown under this listing in the CIL Biweekly Update E-Newsletter, which may be accessed on the web at

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## Community Fundraisers:

### ▪ Tuesday, June 24, 2003

Volunteers of America Chesapeake, Inc., announces...

**Fundraiser to benefit**  
***Bailey's Crossroads Community Shelter***  
**Tuesday, June 24, 2003**  
*Pizzeria UNO Chicago Bar & Grill*  
*6363 Seven Corners Center*  
*Falls Church, VA 22044*

On Tuesday, June 24, 2003, UNO will donate 20 percent of your check's value, excluding tax and tip, to Bailey's Crossroads Community Shelter. If you have any questions, please call Bud Pope at (703) 820-7621, x. 218.

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### ▪ Friday, June 27, 2003

Kids R First announces...

**Fundraiser**  
***2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Golf Classic***  
**Friday, June 27, 2003**  
*South Riding Golfers' Club*  
*Chantilly, Virginia*

On Friday, June 27, 2003, Kids R First will hold its 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Golf Classic fundraiser. Funds raised will be used to provide children from families in need who attend public school with needed school supplies. This fundraiser will also support the Kids R First College and Career Bound Program, a fund set up (at the present time) to give counselors in seven high schools the resources upon which to draw when there is no other source of funds or when funds have been depleted. Funds are used for a wide range of needs which include partial payment of SAT tutorial courses, college application fees, summer school fees, leadership training events, a breakfast for academic improvement (Herndon High School), ESOL dictionaries, soccer shoes, cosmetology kits, and others. A golfing foursome is \$450, plus each player will receive two coupons for future golfing at South Riding Golfers' Club. The golfing event begins at 9am and a buffet lunch is at 1:30p.m. A raffle will also be held. For more information, please call Susan Ungerer at (703) 860-2255.

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### ▪ Friday, July 11, 2003

The Fairfax County Office of Public Affairs (OPA) announces...

**Fundraiser**  
**"Great American Bake Sale"**  
**Friday, July 11, 2003**  
7:00a.m. - 1:00p.m.  
**Fairfax County Government Center**  
12000 Government Center Parkway  
First Floor (near the cafeteria)  
Fairfax, Virginia 22035

The Fairfax County Office of Public Affairs (OPA) will be coordinating a Great American Bake Sale event on Friday, July 11, 2003, to raise funds to fight childhood hunger. Monies raised through the bake sale will benefit area food banks through the Share Our Strength organization, the national sponsor of the event.

If you would like to donate baked goods or if you have any questions, please contact Emily Swift, in the Office of Public Affairs, at (703) 324-3187 or via e-mail at [eswift@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:eswift@fairfaxcounty.gov).

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▪ **Friday, July 11 - Saturday, July 19, 2003**

Fundraiser to benefit Inova Fairfax Hospital for Children and Special Love/Camp Fantastic...

**Nine Evenings of FREE Outdoor Entertainment and Family Fun!**  
**"COX Movies under the Moon"**  
**Friday, July 11 - Saturday, July 19, 2003**  
Restaurants open at 6:30p.m.  
Movie starts at 8:30p.m.  
**George Mason University**  
Robinson Football Field  
Fairfax, Virginia

July 11 - "Grease"  
July 12 - "Harry Potter & the Chamber of Secrets"  
July 13 - "E.T."  
July 14 - "Top Gun"  
July 15 - "Willy Wonka"  
July 16 - "North by Northwest"  
July 17 - "Raiders of the Lost Ark"  
July 18 - "My Big Fat Greek Wedding"  
July 19 - "Shrek"

Movies will begin each night at sundown (approximately 8:30 p.m.). Spectators are encouraged to come early, bring a blanket and low beach chair, purchase food from the on-site restaurants (starting at 6:30 p.m.) to support the charities, and spend an evening watching a great movie. Moviegoers should follow signs to parking lots A, J, and K. Alcohol, pets, and smoking are prohibited.

For more information, visit [www.moviesunderthemoon.org](http://www.moviesunderthemoon.org) or call (703) 323-6333.

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